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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: The Civil Service Commission's Amendments to  
H.R. 4620, the Physician Pay Bill

1. On 30 March 1978, I called Jim Stimpson, OMB, to convey our comments on the subject bill per his request of 28 March 1978. I told him that we felt that the changes made in the area of authority to issue regulations were sufficient to permit the Agency to be included in the bill. I suggested that this be accomplished by relettering various portions of section (d)(1) and by including language specifically adding employees of CIA to the definition of "physician".

2. I also told Mr. Stimpson that there were several other areas of the bill which, while our concerns are not so great that we would not be included in the bill, we want to bring to his attention. These are:

- (I) that consideration be given to making the professional allowance mandatory rather than part of the service agreement;
- (II) that only the service agreement be subject to any regulations issued under the bill;
- (III) that a physician failing to perform the service agreement would pay back only the service agreement amount, not the professional allowance;
- (IV) that the bill should become effective 30 days after its enactment (as drafted the bill had set no effective date);
- (V) that they consider pay comparability as a basis for the bonus, in addition to

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problems of recruitment and retention of  
physicians.


3. I indicated to Mr. Stimpson that the bottom line was that  
we did wish to be included in the bill.



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**TO:** Mr. Robert Carlstrom  
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Dear Mr. Carlstrom:

Attached is a memorandum for the record which I promised you on the Civil Service Commission's Amendments to H.R. 4620, the Physician Pay Bill.

Thanks,

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